

Romy Crawford - HB 5217 Testimony

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Members of the Judiciary Committee:

My position as Legislative Director with Great Lakes Shooting Sports Association is as a volunteer. I regret that for business reasons I am unable to attend the committee hearing today.

I would, however, like to express that Great Lakes Shooting Sports Association is very much in favor of HB 5217. The confidentiality afforded to CPL applicants could only be considered reasonable and considerate. In order to be as sure as possible that only deserving and eligible people receive a CPL they must, in effect, bear their soul to the issuing authorities. GLSSA believes that this legislation would ensure that only those who need to know such information will have access to it.

GLSSA would like to thank Representative Hummel and the co-sponsors of HB 5217 for introducing this legislation that will thwart the temptation of some to misuse the F.O.I.A. It is our hope that the members of this committee can also see the importance of this act to a group of people who have already shown themselves to be very responsible and trustworthy. Thank you in advance for your careful consideration.

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